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## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Testimony on the Philippines for House Foreign  
Affairs Committee, Asian and Pacific Affairs  
Subcommittee

1. On 1 December 1986, testimony on the Philippines was presented to the Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee of the House Foreign Affairs Committee. The meeting was chaired by Mr. Solarz and attended by Messrs. Leach (R., IA) (Ranking Minority Member) and Bereuter (R., NE). Mr. Carl Ford, National Intelligence Officer, acted as primary witness spokesperson with Ambassador Frank MacNeal, INR/State and Mr. [redacted] Defense Intelligence Agency, handling their relevant interests.

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2. The following individuals were present during the three hour session.

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Robert Jenkins  
Stan Roth  
Peter Schechter

Robert Hathaway  
David Lonie  
Jennifer White

DIAState

Charlie Salmon

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3. Mr. Carl Ford opened the briefing with a short introduction of the key players. He suggested that each agency give their short, prepared overview and then open the session up to questions. Both CIA and INR submitted written responses to the Committee's pre-briefing questions. DIA submitted their response in a statement for the record.

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4. The majority of questions focused on the following theme:

Stability of Philippine Government  
Prospects of coup  
President Aquino's personal security

5. This session followed an open meeting on the same subject and was conducted at the Top Secret level. Questions regarding the testimony should be addressed to the transcript.



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